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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant : Petros Gebreselassie et al.
Serial No. : 10/618,202
Filed : July 11, 2003
For : CHEWING GUM AND CONFECTIONERY
COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING A STAIN
REMOVING COMPLEX, AND METHODS
OF MAKING AND USING THE SAME
Examiner : Arthur L. Corbin
Art Unit : 1761
Confirmation No. : 4181
Attorney Docket No. : PC25311-07-LAV

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August 21, 2006

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of August 17, 2006.

Please amend the application as follows: